

5 1152

697

In Gaul

He subdued the BELGAE

His lieutenant PUBLIUS LICINIUS

CRASSUS subdued regions of
NORMANDY and BRITTANY

57-58 Visited his third province Illyria
as well as Cisalpine Gaul

57BC

Caesar advanced to the north toward the Belgic tribe of Nervii. Their first Class Infantry waited for Caesar behind the shallow R. SAMBRE, near Neuf-Mesnil (maubeuge) on the Franco-Belgian frontier. The battle was one of the most pitious Caesar ever fought. He was completely surprised by the proximity of the Nervian army in a thick wood. Due to this Rcn failure losses were alarming:

one cohort lost all 6 of its centurions
but Caesar saved the situation by personal
initiative and heroism. He reported, "The
name of the Varus was almost blotted
out from the face of the earth." Out of
60,000 men, scarcely 500 had survived.
The stragglers (neighbors) returned to their
homes in the neighborhood of Narnia.

57BC

The Durbords had secured the appointment for 56BC of a Consul who hated the triumvirs and they hoped the following year a consulship would go to AITENOBARBUS who coveted Caesar's Narbonne province. Cicero began to drive a wedge between Pompey and Caesar.

57BC

late autumn ~ early winter

Caesar went to Gelyrean - part
of his province

Gaul was held down by
garrisons in the north - beside
the Loire near Angers, Tours,
and Orléans (the ancient CAEA'ABUM)
and in the western regions of
Switzerland.

These achievements were aroused

considerable excitement in Rome. Some of the enormous booty was already filtering through Rome. Pompey proposed the largest thanksgiving on record and Cicero seconded (Pompey had recently brought Cicero back from exile). Now Clodius was to a large extent incapacitated.

Pompey became extremely unfriendly with Crassus (he regarded Crassus as responsible for Clodius' insults).

59BC

At hammer (strutaci tube) Caesar brought up the siege machinery. The strutaci gave in but unwisely broke the tube.

After retelling the story, Caesar proceeded to sell all 53,000 by auction as slaves, in a single lot

57BC

While Caesar was at home, young
Publius Crassus marched into
north-western Gaul and secured
submission of the coastal tribes of
Normandy

57BC

Hindu Chronologists

The 2nd important era is the VIKRAMA
Samvat era of Northern India.

It began in 57BC, and 1980
marks the 2037th year of the
Vikrama era.

57-54 BC

As Procurator of Syria (57-54)
Sabinus (Aulus) reinstated
HYRCANUS as High Priest
at Jerusalem, suppressed revolts,
introduced administrative changes
in Judaea and rebuilt several
towns

He was sent by Pompey (w/o consent
of Senate) to Egypt to restore Ptolemy

XII AULFES & his Kingdom. During his absence, disturbances arose in Syria and Palestine which he suppressed with some difficulty

In 57BC

Caesar

He attacked the Belgic tribes
and defeated them; then
subdued the Veneti

579C

Caenorhynchus Belgica
(Roughly Belgium)

Jan 1, -56 = Jan 1, 578c Astronomy

$$(6664 - 2008)(365.25) = 1700604$$